the United States of America in the Security Council of the United Nations.

Alejandro Daniel Wolff, of California, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, to be Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations, during his tenure of service as Deputy Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations.

Jean B. Elshtain, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities for the remainder of the term expiring January 26, 2010.

Allen C. Guelzo, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities for the remainder of the term expiring January 26, 2006.

Allen C. Guelzo, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities for a term expiring January 26, 2012.

Eugene Hickok, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities for the remainder of the term expiring January 26, 2008.

Two Army nominations in the rank of general.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, Foreign Service. Pages S11443–48

Nominations Withdrawn: Senate received notification of withdrawal of the following nomination:

Mark McKinnon, of Texas, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2008, which was sent to the Senate on September 6, 2005. Page S11448

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—255)

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 2 p.m., and adjourned at 7:10 p.m., until 9:45 a.m., on Tuesday, October 18, 2005. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S11443.)

## Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

## House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 4057–4069; and 6 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 267; and H. Res. 491–492, 495–497, were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors: Pages H8846-47

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows: H.R. 2383, to redesignate the facility of the Bureau of Reclamation located at 19550 Kelso Road in Byron, California, as the "C.W. 'Bill' Jones Pumping Plant" (H. Rept. 109–247);

H. Res. 493, providing for consideration of the bill (S. 397) to prohibit civil liability actions from being brought or continued against manufacturers, distributors, dealers, or importers of firearms or ammunition for damages, injunctive or other relief resulting from the misuse of their products by others (H. Rept. 109–248); and

H. Res. 494, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 554) to prevent legislative and regulatory functions from being usurped by civil liability actions brought or continued against food manufacturers, marketers, distributors, advertisers, sellers, and trade associations for claims of injury relating to a person's weight gain, obesity, or any health condition associated with weight gain or obesity (H. Rept. 109–249).

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Petri to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Journal: Agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal by a yea-and-nay vote of 317 yeas to 52 nays with 1 voting "present," Roll No. 521.

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Meeting Hour: Agreed by unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet